

**TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
MINUTES
JUNE 27, 2007**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Transportation Committee was Convened at 9:41 a.m. on Wednesday, June 27, 2007 in Committee Room #2.

The Following Committee Members were Present

**The Honorable Clair Muller, Chair
The Honorable C. T. Martin
The Honorable Kwanza Hall
The Honorable Felicia Moore
The Honorable Mary Norwood, Vice-Chair
The Honorable Lamar Willis**

Others in attendance were Ben DeCosta, Aviation General Manager; Lem Ward, Law Department; Saul Schultz, Law Department; Theresa Stewart, Law Department; Jennifer Tetrick, Law Department; Nursef Kedir, Public Works; Members of the Press and Council Staff.

The Agenda was Adopted without objection and the Minutes for the Transportation Meeting held on June 13, 2007 were approved without objection.

CONSENT AGENDA

C. ORDINANCE FOR FIRST READING

07-O-1260 (1) An Ordinance by Transportation Committee to amend the (2004 Airport Passenger Facility Charge Bond Fund: C, D, E) Budget by transferring to and from Appropriations the amount of \$47,500,000.00 for the purpose of funding an Extension to Taxiway L, Taxiway M Pavement Replacement, and Runway Safety Area Improvements for Runway 27R; and for other purposes.

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D. ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING

- 07-O-1332 (1) An Ordinance by Councilmember Anne Fauver authorizing the Mayor to execute Memoranda of Understanding with the Georgia Department of Transportation for the purpose of preserving the federal funds made available pursuant to a Transportation Enhancement Program Grant issued pursuant to application 5-121-04-08 and Q23 Program Project AT-222A / P.I. #0006718; and for other purposes.

FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE AS AMENDED (5 YEAS) (0 NAYS)

- 07-O-1337 (2) An Ordinance by Councilmember Kwanza Hall authorizing the Mayor or her designee to conduct a study of traffic on the 1500 and 1600 blocks of Peachtree Street to determine the adequacy and safety of the existing turning options for vehicles wishing to enter or exit properties on these blocks; and for other purposes.

Chair person Muller made a motion to Hold per the Department of Public Works for further study.

HELD (6 YEAS) (0 NAYS)

E. RESOLUTIONS

- 07-R-1258 (1) A Resolution by Transportation Committee authorizing the acquisition of certain stream mitigation credits from the Clayton County Water Authority necessary to implement Federal Clean Water Act requirements regarding stream mitigation needed to offset the impacts to Sullivan Creek resulting from construction of Runway 10-28 located at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, such interests to be acquired with a budget not to exceed \$992,250.00; all contracted work shall be charged to and paid from Fund, Account and Center Number 2H26 574001 R21E052096AA, (Airport Passenger Facility Charge Fund, Facilities Other Than Buildings, Commuter Runway); and for other purposes.

FAVORABLE (6 YEAS) (0 NAYS)

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E. RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)

- 07-R-1259 (2) A Resolution by Transportation Committee authorizing the Mayor or her designee to execute an Appropriate Contractual Agreement with Precision 2000, Inc., for project number FC-3006007998, Airfield Pavement Repairs – Maintenance – 2007, on behalf of the Department of Aviation in an amount not to exceed \$1,851,720.00; all contracted work shall be charged to and paid from Fund, Account and Center Number: 2H21 (Airport Renewal and Extension Fund) 574001 (Facilities Other Than Buildings) R21E05229999 (Airfield Pavement Repair Maintenance); and for other purposes.

FAVORABLE (5 YEAS) (1 NAYS)

- 07-R-1321 (3) A Resolution by Transportation Committee authorizing the Parking Company of America, Inc. to reimburse the Atlanta Airlines Terminal Corporation in an amount not to exceed \$480,000.00 for the increased costs of busing airline employees to and from the new employee parking facility No. 3 (EPF #3) location at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport; and for other purposes.

FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE (6 YEAS) (0 NAYS)

- 07-R-1327 (4) A Resolution by Transportation Committee authorizing the Mayor to enter into an Agreement with Wright-Brown Electric Company, Inc., for FC-3006008004, Installation, Relocation, Removal, and/or Revisions of Street Lights and Associated Hardware, for the continuation of the Moreland Avenue Corridor Signal Communications Construction/Installation and the new signalization of the Cascade Road & Lynhurst Drive Intersection, on behalf of the Department of Public Works, in an amount not to exceed \$1,360,461.26; all contracted work shall be charged to and paid from various Fund, Accounts and Center Numbers; and for other purposes.

FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE ON CONDITION (6 YEAS) (0 NAYS)

- 07-R-1328 (5) A Resolution by Transportation Committee authorizing the Mayor to enter into Amendment Agreement No. 1 with Georgia Paving, Inc., for Project 3006007988, Annual Contract for Traffic Calming, on behalf of the Department of

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E. RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)

Public Works in an amount not to exceed \$704,428.05; all contracted work shall be charged to and paid from various Fund, Account and Center Number; and for other purposes.

FAVORABLE ON CONDITION (6 YEAS) (0 NAYS)

F. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE

- 06-O-0186 (1) An Ordinance by Councilmember Natalyn M. Archibong **as amended by Transportation Committee** authorizing the Mayor or her designee to make Harold Avenue, NE a Three-Way Stop where it intersects with Muriel Avenue, NE; and for other purposes. **(Amended and held 1/11/06 at request of the Department of Public Works pending additional study and discussion with author.)**
- 06-O-0189 (2) An Ordinance by Councilmember Natalyn M. Archibong **as amended by Transportation Committee** authorizing the Mayor or her designee to make the intersection of Indiana Avenue, NE and Connecticut Avenue, NE an All-Way Stop; and for other purposes. **(Amended and held 1/11/06 at request of the Department of Public Works pending additional study and discussion with author.)**
- 06-O-0489 (3) An Ordinance by Councilmember Joyce M. Sheperd authorizing the Mayor or her designee to study vehicular and pedestrian traffic on Metropolitan Parkway to determine the placement of additional traffic calming signage warning of the School Zone for Capitol View Elementary School; and for other purposes. **(Held 2/15/06 at request of the Department of Public Works pending additional study.)**
- 06-O-0490 (4) An Ordinance by Councilmember Joyce M. Sheperd authorizing the Mayor or her designee to install traffic calming measures to reduce speeding on Springdale Road, SW from Perkerson Drive, SW to Cleveland Avenue, SW; and for other purposes. **(Held 2/15/06 at request of the Department of Public Works pending additional study.)**
- 06-O-0491 (5) An Ordinance by Councilmember Joyce M. Sheperd authorizing the Mayor or her designee to install traffic calming measures to reduce speeding on Oak Drive, SE from

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Empire Boulevard, SE to Brownsmill Road, SE; and for other purposes. **(Held 2/15/06 at request of the Department of Public Works pending additional study.)**

06-O-0492 (6) An Ordinance by Councilmember Joyce M. Sheperd authorizing the Mayor or her designee to install traffic calming measures to reduce speeding on Bromack Road, SE from Macon Drive, SE to Brownsmill Road, SE; and for other purposes. **(Held 2/15/06 at request of the Department of Public Works pending additional study.)**

06-R-1572 (7) A Resolution by Councilmember Kwanza Hall requesting that the Mayor or her designee remove those Parking meters on Auburn Avenue from Courtland Street to Jackson Street; and for other purposes. **(Held 7/12/06 for additional discussion and consideration by Committee and presentation on the City Parking Meter Program by Public Works.)**

06-O-2246 (8) An Ordinance by Councilmember Kwanza Hall authorizing the Mayor or her designee to install Traffic Calming Measures to reduce speed on North Avenue, from Freedom Parkway to Moreland Avenue; and for other purposes. **(Held 10/11/06 at the request of Councilmember Hall so that the Department of Public Works can meet with the neighborhood.)**

07-R-0619 (9) A Resolution by Councilmember Carla Smith authorizing the Mayor or her designee to issue a Notice to Proceed with Metcalf and Eddy/Cardozo Engineers, a Joint Venture for FC-7619-03E, Annual Contract for Architectural and Engineering Services, for an Asset Management Program Study for the submission of an application for the FHWA Grant, on behalf of the Department of Public Works, in an amount not to exceed \$29,500.00; all contracted work shall charged to and paid from the following Fund, Account and Center Number: 3P02 574001 M22F03349999; and for other purposes. **(Held 3/28/07 at the request of the Department of Public Works.)**

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F. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

07-O-0988 (10) An Ordinance by Jim Maddox authorizing the Mayor or her designee to install Three-Way Stop signs at the intersection of Barge Road, SW and Stone Road, SW; and for other purposes. (Held 5/16/07 at the request of the Department of Public Works.)

FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE (6 YEAS) (0 NAYS)


07-O-1102 (11) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Anne Fauver, Clair Muller, Ceasar C. Mitchell, Mary Norwood, Carla Smith and Ivory L. Young, Jr. authorizing a procedure to be followed in the implementation of the Ansley Park Neighborhood Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety and Traffic Calming Master Plan; and for other purposes. (Held 5/30/07 at the request of the author to allow the Law Department the opportunity to refine the legislation.)

FILE (6 YEAS) (0 NAYS)


ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Committee, the meeting was Adjourned at 11:29 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted:


Wasonna H. Griffin, Legislative Assistant


Larry Stokes, Research & Policy Analyst


**The Honorable Clair Muller, Chair
Transportation Committee**